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SUBJ : MAJOR PROJECTS: REGISTRY WITH FEDERAL TENDERS BOARD

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1. SINCE REF AND ITS SEVEN PREDECESSORS SEEM CONTAIN FIVE OR SO QUESTIONS THIS IS INTERIM REPLY TO DETERMINE WHAT QUESTIONS REMAIN.
 2. REGARDING BROWN AND ROOT REGISTRATION(STATE 92396, PARA ONE), FIRM'S LONE LAGOS REP, MR. KALU, OFFICE MANAGER,(MAIN OFFICE IS IN PORT HARCOURT) SAYS FIRM BEGAN REGISTRATION FORMALITIES IN 1972 BUT A MR. RIDDLE, THEN IN CHARGE, DROPPED MATTER, APPARENTLY ON GROUNDS BROWN AND ROOT WORKS WITH PRIVATE SECTOR(OIL INDUSTRY), NOT FMG. SOUNDS LIKE MR. KALU HAS NOT HEARD FROM HOUSTON SINCE 1972 BUT HE PROMISED VISIT TENDERS BOARD TO SIZE UP SITUATION. HE ASKED EMBASSY TO DETERMINE WHETHER BROWN AND ROOT STILL DESIRE TO REGISTER.
 3. REGARDING REGISTRATION, INCORPORATION AND INDIGENIZATION CONSULTANTS AND ARCHITECTS, AS REPORTED LAGOS 7713, PARA 2D, THEY MAY INCORPORATE AS LIMITED LIABILITY OR AS PARTNERSHIP. UNDER OLD INDIGENIZATION RULES, PARTNERSHIPS NOT SUBJECT INDIGENIZATION. POSITION UNDER NEW INDIGENIZATION RULES STILL UNCLEAR AS NO RPT NO DECREE IMPLEMENTING NEW RULES HAS BEEN ISSUED AS YET AND POLICY STATEMENTS TO DATE SILENT ON THIS ASPECT. HERETOFORE CONSULTANTS AND ARCHITECTS NOT RPT NOT REQUIRED REGISTER WITH TENDERS BOARDS BUT IT MAY BECOME ADVISABLE IF DESIGN-CONSTRUCT BECOMES
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4. ACTION REQUESTED: PLEASE ADVISE (1) WHETHER BROWN
AND ROOT STILL DESIRES REGISTER (2) WHAT QUESTIONS REMAIN.
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